

Hello my name is Nancye Parker, I'm an Ohio licensed Barber and Assistant Barber Instructor. I respectfully ask that the Senator vote against Senate Bill 89 which the Government Oversight Committee just amended to reduce students' ability to leverage pell grants and force them to take on greater levels of student loan debt in order to pursue their education. By massively reducing the hours of education associated with the license, a huge burden will be placed on students to pass the state board exam proficiently and with less time to comprehend the textbook. They also will miss out on valuable barber college education that will be alternatively offered in a barber shop. This on-the-job training will not be equally comparable to that of a school if more experienced barbers are having to take time away from clients to teach. This bill poses a risk to the public we serve and reduces the career opportunities and earning potential for my classmates and me. Please don't let the recent amendment to this bill derail future students' career aspirations. Thank you for your consideration.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Nancye Parker". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Nancye" written in a larger, more prominent script than the last name "Parker".